

Appl. No. 09/621,670
Amdt. dated June 18, 2008
Reply to Office action of Apr. 17, 2008

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT
AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicants: Ashby et al.)	Examiner: Ismael Izaguirre
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Filed: July 24, 2000)	Confirmation No.: 6902
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Title: Depth and Puncture Control for)	Att. Docket No.: 29985/05-112A
Blood Vessel Hemostasis System)	
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED APRIL 17, 2008

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the non-final Office action dated April 17, 2008.

Please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2
of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 12 of this paper.